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To: M. Carter Mitchell, Legislative Liaison
From: David E. Goyette, Assistant Director, Regulatory Services
Subject: 1995 Legislative Proposals

Attached are proposed legislative changes for 1995. These proposals have been suggested from Enforcement and Regulatory Services staff.

As you requested, our proposals are divided into two types:

- Proposals that are housekeeping in nature, and therefore essential to the smooth operation of the agency, and
- Proposals that are revenue positive or neutral.

HOUSEKEEPING AND ESSENTIAL TO AGENCY OPERATION

1. RCW 66.24.010(2) - amend to allow in addition to the Board, a person(s) designated by the Board to approve licenses.
2. RCW 66.24.490 - amend to eliminate unintended and confusing language which refers to the payment of \$25 per day for a class I license. The class I actually is an annual license requiring payment of \$350 each year. The reference to the \$25 per day was inadvertently left in when the 1994 legislative request was sent to the code reviser.
3. RCW 66.28.180 - amend to eliminate prior Board approval of price postings. Due to budget cuts in Enforcement, as well as Regulatory Services, the positions necessary to conduct price postings could be reassigned to work more critical to carrying out the enforcement and license investigation functions.
4. RCW 66.28.110 - amend to eliminate alcohol content requirement and accept federal definitions. This would also free up a position, which now must review 3,000 beer and wine labels and also free the position up to be reassigned to more critical enforcement and license investigation duties.

Resp to Costco RFP
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PLAINTIFF'S
EXHIBIT

CASE
NO. CV04-0360P

EXHIBIT
NO. 110

REVENUE POSITIVE OR NEUTRAL

5. RCW 66.24.025 - amend to eliminate transfers - make all changes in ownership a new application. Not only will this coordinate the license expiration date for the Liquor Control Board's purposes with that of Master License Service; it will also eliminate the \$75 transfer fee, which was far below the cost necessary to process most transfers.
6. RCW 66.24.010(11) - amend to eliminate the license transfer as the basis for the 60-day temporary operating license. This would tie in to No. 5 above.
7. RCW 66.44.XXX - create a new section to allow employees 18 years and over to handle beer and wine for all nonretail licensees. This would contain language similar to that in 66.44.340, which allows retailers holding class E and/or F licenses to employ persons between the ages of 18 and 20 years for stocking, selling and handling beer and wine.

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Attachments